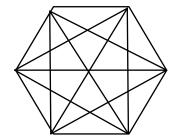
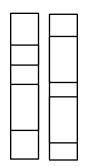
/dev/np





We at /dev/np have a knack for solving NP-complete problems quickly. Really, really quickly. No, really.

After you install our software, you can just "cat" your problem (in "partition problem" form, please) to /dev/np.

An answer will appear faster than you might expect.

Do you have an embarrasing NP-complete problem?

The bright folks at /dev/np realize that it might be "hard" to translate your problem to partition form. We also provide software to do this automagically.

Are you wondering if your hard problem might be NP-complete?

So are we. But you haven't asked us about it yet. We have ways of determining such things. Reliably. Dependably. Discretely.

No problem is too NP-complete! Optimality is assured!

Yeah, just try and prove our solutions aren't optimal, mac.

How does it work?

Suspend everything and cat > /dev/np today!

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